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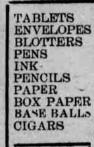
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9. Local coast train ..... 6:00 a. m. sion fee will ce charged. " 15. Sunday excursion.....4:45 p. m. F. M. WEED, Agent.

#### Local Hews Items.

Roses, roses everywhere! F. M. Dick visited Pass Christian last

very pretty.

Eyes tested and glasses fitted by D. Watts, at Vahle House. Miss Ethel Rice, of New Orleans,

visiting Miss Jessie Boyd. For latest sheet music call

write Post & Son, Biloxi. The L. & N. depot is being brighten-

ed up with a coat of paint. Miss Eva Catchot has returned from a visit to friends in Louisiana.

All kinds of job printing done at THI PROGRESS office. Don't forget that. Several thousand grape vines for sale of the year are a rare treat, especial cheap. Apply to Bechtel's Pecan Nur- the kind Mrs. Brady raises.

D. Watts, watch maker and jeweler,

Mrs. H. C. Foster, of Rogers Park, Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L.

Williford Horton, the bright little son of Man las Horton, visited Scran-Don't forget the Dime social at the

nome of Mrs. M. L. Holcomb next Wednesday night.

loxi the past week. Mrs. A. E. Lee and daughter, Gladys, and Mrs. Alva Billings are spending the

day in New Orleans. Mrs. Murphy and little danghter Helen have been spending the past men's Hall in the night of April 13th week in New Orleans.

Mrs. H. B. Sparks, Mrs. H. C. Smith and Miss Lillian C. Root were visitors o Pass Christian Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dees are the sappy parents of a baby boy, which crived Thursday, March 24th. J. C. Turper has returned to New

York after a pleasant visit with Col. and Mrs. Rush Field at Field Lodge. Kerosene oil for sale at Mrs. Horton's grocery by the little Horton Bros. Tele-

phone 59. They'll call for the can. We are pleased to report that Mrs.

Davis Bros' warehouse. When Mayor cessors, are hereby created a body corporate under the name and style "Van Cleave Bros. Mercantile Company"; its ly burned some time ago, is gradually

D. C. Smith and wife, of La Moille, Ill., twho have been wintering here, left yesterday for Nashville to vist:

The fund for the orphan children of Ben Dick is gradually growing. It is a

was brought to this city Wednesday,

Miss Fannie's health. Thee, Bechtel visited Long Beach l'uesday on business. He reports the adish industry at that place booming, shipments of one and two carloads be

ng made every day. A dime social will be given at Mrs M. L. Holcomb's next Wednesday night by the ladies of the Methodist at Noma, Fla , asking for information church. A musical and literery pro-

gram is being prepared. Because of the large and important docket of the Chancery court of Jack. and was last heard from at Ocean son county, the attorneys of the county Springs, Miss. He is described as thirhave petitioned Judge Deavours to hold by years of age, weight 170 pounds,

special term in April. Mrs. M. A. Black, of Sycamoure, Ill., who has been in Ocean Springs for sevral weeks past, left Wednesday for

ime before returning north. A few of our northern visitors hav returned home, but there are still many here who will not leave for some time. not caring to take chances of running into a snow storm by returning north

Miss Josephine Josephin, accompafied by her cousin, Miss Bokenfohr, same over from New Orleans last Sat orday to remain over Sunday. Miss Joachim is attending Soule college in

New Orleans. A. W. Hawks, the lecturer, visited our town Monday night and entertained a fair sized audience at Eiremen's Hall.

moor's oystermen was a success. Th ommittee in charge report a net profit of over \$31 which goes into the Bellande

be given by the ladies of the Cathol- Moss Point, East Side, Orange Grove church on Monday night, April 4th, Swartout and Pascagoula. See notice at Firemen's Hall. It will no doubt be published in this issue. All other pre largely attended and all who go are

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and a new park will be built hind she new park, which is

On Monday, April 4th, the ladies of the Catholic church give an entertainment as Firemen's Hall. Besides a fine interary and musical program, refresh-ments will be served. A small admis-

C. W. Madison, the former efficien section foreman for the L.& N. at this lace, has moved his family to Bay St. Louis where he will reside in future. Mr. Madison was recently promoted to the position of division road supervisor. Mrs. E. B. Blackwell, the milliner, of

Scrauton, who is a frequent visitor to Ocean Springs, met with a serious and painfull accident at Moss Point last Monday. She fell from the steps of the Cumberland Telephone office and broke her left hip bone.

The amart (?) young fellows wi their red paint were out again Thur day night disfiguring property. If the are apprehended they will discove when Mayor Weed gets through wit them, that it is not so funny as the seem to think it is.

Mrs. M. J. Brady will accept o thanks for three boxes of luscion strawberries which she left at T Progress office Wednesday with h compliments. Strawberries at this tim

Dr. O. L. Bailey disposed of the thr ottages he bought last week from M has located at the Vahle House. Work J. J. Garrard. Israel Carver, John Burr Mrs. T. B. Lynd................................. 10 00 and Fred Bradford were the purchasers, each buying one cottage. The property is located on De Soto avenue one block east of the post office.

Solomon Cates, an old resident of Jackson county, was accidentally shot Friday of last week by a boy named hunting. The gun held by the boy was accidentally discharged, the con-Mrs. Boyd and daughter, Miss Jessie unts striking Mr. Cates in the face, Boyd, have been visiting friends in Bi- inflicting a fearful wound from which he died the following day.

Without doubt the coming entertainment of the Dunbar hand bell ringers will be the event of the season. This splendid company will appear at Fireed house. This entertainment is without doubt the best attraction offered by the Southern Lyceum Bureau, and is the last of this season's attractions sent here under the auspices of that concern. Don't miss the Dunbar hand bell

drove over to Ocean Springs last Saturday and after filling up on booze proceeded to create a disturbance, with the result that both were landed in jail. Parkinson, together with such others as may hereafter associate themselves with them, and their Assigns and Suc-Monday morning the white man owed the lown \$4.80 and the negro \$25.00, additional charges being preferred Mississippi, and as such shall have and against the latter for scealing the hay. enjoy succession and exercise the pow-The former paid his fine but the negro is putting in time on the streets.

### Letter to J. D. Minor.

Ocean Springs, Miss. Dear Sir: The cheapest thing in the

Devoe is your paint, because it's a'

yaint, no sham and full-measure.
Yours truly
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Have You Seen Him?

Chief Case, of the Mobile police, has eceived a letter from Mrs. J. R. Lake, as to the whereabouts of her husband, J. R. Lake, who left Shreveport, La., several weeks ago on his way to Florida height 5 feet 11 inches, and has two or three scars on the right side of his face, one on the forehend, one on the back o the neck and a knife wound in the left Birmingham where she will stop for a lower ribs. The police were unable to locate him.

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Of fice at Ocean Springs, Miss, for the week ending Mar. 26, 1904.

LADIES. Mrs. Tuttle. Mrs. Laura Fountain.

GESTLEMEN Mr. Pike Mitchom. Persons claiming the above will pleasay Advertised. THOS. I. KEYS. P. M.

P. A. Dat forth of LaGrange, Ga., suf-A fair sized audience at Eiremen's Hall.

Mr. Hawks pleased his audience and fully sustained the reputation that had preceded him.

The ball at Piremen's Hall last Saturday night given by Friar's and Seymour's oystermen was a success. The

On account of change in time of holding Circuit Court, I have changed the dates of registration for Escatawpa cincis remain as first advertised.

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h	The Progress acknowledge receip
g-	of the following amounts for the ben-
3	fit of the orphan children of Ben Dick
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	Mrs. Henry Woods 1 (
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ıe	Dr. H. O. Heat
16	Walton Davis 1 (
ly	John King
	Frank Schmidt 2 (
ee	Cash 1
	Joseph Kotzum 5

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and killed near his home at Bonnie on improved. Fine pecan trees, fruit trees, grape arbor, etc. Price \$2,000. For Willie Long with whom he was turkey further particulars Inquire at The Progress office, where keys to look over the place can be obtained.

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SECTION 2. The purposes for which this Corporation is created are hereby declared to be, to purchase and sell Mrs. B. A. Sinde and children, who have been occupying the Wieder cottage is a postage stamp; and the cheapest sell or lease real estate and to erect such have been occupying the Wieder cottage for some time past, departed Wednesday noon for their home in Rockford, Ith.

The aged mother of Postmaster Thos. I. Keys died at Scranton Tuesday and was brought to this city Wednesday.

In a postage stamp; and the cheapest paint, such that cheapest way to shed water is paint. Not whitewash; paint. Do you hapen to know—it don't belong to your business to know about paint you know—od you happen to know that most of the makers of paint stuff it out with line and clay and sand and water and which it is organized.

SECTION 3. The Capital Stock of this the remains being laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

Miss Fannie Vanghan is here this
wek on a visit to Miss Lula Haviland
and many old friends. We are pleased to note a wonderful improvement in

SECTION 4. This corporation is authorized to begin operations and commence business when Ten Thousand Dollars of the capital stock has been subscribed and paid in cash or property.

SECTION 5. The officers of said cor-poration shall consist of a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treas-Section 6. The affairs of this corpor

The first meeting for election of Directors shall be held the first Saturday in March, 1905. And until said first election the following persons are declared to be Directors: W. S. Van Cleave, J. P. Van Cleave, B. F. Parking and Robert Parking with a least the said state of the sai Cleave, J. P. Van Cleave, B. F. Parkinson and Robert Parkinson, with said W. S. Van Cleave as President; B. F. Parkinson, Vice President; J. P. Van Cleave, Secretary, and Robert Parkinson Treasurer. The President, or in his absence or inability to act, the Vice President, Itali be the executive officer upon whom citation and all legal process shall be served.

The said Directors shall, immediately after their election each year, meet and

after their election each year, meet and elect a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and shall have power to make, after or amend all by laws, roles and regulations they may deem requisite for the management of the business affairs of said corporation. SECTION 7. This set of incorporation may be changed or modified, or this corporation may be dissolved with the assent of two thirds of the capital stock represented at a meeting called for that purpose after fifteen days notice in writing issued by the Secretary to each stockholder.

SECTION 8. Any Stockholder desiring to dispose of his stock shall first of-fer same to the Board of Directors who

SECTION 9. No Stockholder shall b liable for the contracts or faults of said corporation in any further sum than he onnaid balance due on the shares of stock he may own, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this Charter null or exposing any stockholder to any hability beyond the amount of hi

W. S. VAN CLEAVE. B. F. PARKINSON, J. P. VAN CLEAVE. ROBT. PAUKINSON. Opean Springs, Mass. Murch 1st. 1904.

#### LEGAL NOTICES.

## Registration Notice.

will want the various presents of ckson County, for the purpose of ristering those qualified to register the day and dates following. to-wit Dak Grove, Monday April 4th, from

nes, Monday April 4th, from 1 to

. M.,
Howell, (at Howell P. O.) Tuesday,
pril 5th, from 12 to 3.
Helvestion, Wednesday, April 6th,
com 9 to 1.
Reeves, Thursday, April 7th, from 9

Wilkerson, Friday, April 8th, from 10 Bluff Creek, Saturday, April 9th, from

to 2. West Pascagoula, Tuesday, April 12th,

from 3 to 6.

Florala, (at Florala P. O.) Friday.

April 18th, from 9 to 11.

Jacobs, Friday, April 18th, from 2 to 5.

Ocean Springs, Saturday, April 18th,

from 9 to 4.

Escatawps, Monday, April 18th, from

oss Point, Tuesday, April 19th, from 9 to 4. DEast Side, Wednesday, April 20th. from 10 to 2.
Orange Grove, Thursday, April 21th,

Pascagoula, Saturday April 18th, from 9 to 1. Scranton, any time except on dates above named. FRED TAYLOR. Registrar. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

from 9 to 11. Swartwout, Friday, April 22th, from

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Whereas letters of administration on on the estate of M.L. Clements, deceased were granted to the undersigued by the Chancery Court of Jackson County, Mississippi, on the 29th day of January, 1904. Now therefore, all persons having claims against said estate will presentsame and have them probated and registered within one year from this date, or be forever barred by law.

This the 30th of January, 1904.

E. E. Clements, Administrator.

BRIDGE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a contract for the building of two bridges towit: One over Little Red Creek, on Road No. 149, in District No. 5.

One over Black Creek on Road No. 35 in District No. 3, according to plans and specifications on file will be let to the lowest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Scranton, Miss., on The city of Scranton, Miss., on MONDAY THE 4th DAY OF APRIL,

MONDAY THE 4th DAY OF APRIL,
A. D., 1904,
at 12 o'clock, noon. Bond will be required according to law for the faithful
performance of contract, and keep the
work in repair for three years, and said
Board reserves the right to reject any
and all bids. By order of the Board.
F. H. Lewis, Clerk. CONTRACT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a contract for bulkneading, shelling and filling of Road No. 61 of Ft. Bridge in District No. 4, according to plans and specifi-cations on file, will be let to the lowes bidder at the front door of the Court THE STATE OF THE S House, in the city of Scranton, Miss., on Monday, the 4th day of April A. D., 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon. Bond will be required according to law for faithful performance of contract, and keep said work in repair for three years, and the Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, By order of Board, F. H. Lewis, Clerk.

HOMESTEAD NOTICE. Land Office at Jackson, Miss. January 30, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the fol-lowing-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Chancery Clerk, Jackson County, at Scranton, Miss., on March 14, 1994. viz: Esteller Dudley, H. E. No. 35430, for the S. E. 2 S. E. 2 Sec. 18. T. 2 S, R. 8 West of St.

prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Peter Fairley, Thomas J. Mizeile, Ru-

bin F. Cooper, Samuel Cowart, all of Benndal, Miss. FRED. W. COLLINS, Register

HOMESTEAD NOTICE. Land Office at Jackson, Miss. February 3, 1904.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence and cultivation of said land, viz: Needham W. Smith, of Vancieave, Miss. Prestor Scarborough, of Florala, Miss. Abraham Woods, of Florala, Miss. Albert Chambers, of Florala, Miss. FRED W. COLLINS, Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

SECTION 6. The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a Board of not less than three or more than five Directors to be elected annually from the Stockholders by a majority of the Stock participating in such election, at a meeting to be called for the purpose on the first Saturday in March of each year, and each share of stock shall be entitled to one vote cast by its owner in person or by proxy. The Secretary shall notify each stockholder in writing at least five days prior to such meeting. The first meeting for election of Directors of March, 1904.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All persons having claims against the estate of Josephine Pfeffele, deceased, are notified to have the same registered and probated in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court, of Jackson county, Mississippi, within one year from the first publication of this notice. A failure to probate and register such claims will bar the same. Letters of Administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned on the loth day of March, 1904.

O. L. Bailet, Administrator. Administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of March, 1904.

O. L. BAILEY, Administrator.
March 12, 1904.

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